



Application for Undergraduate Admission

To provide the highest quality educational opportunity for all students in a diverse learning environment, UW System Admissions Offices seek to admit students whose academic preparation, background and personal experience suggest that the student will succeed at the institution, benefit from that educational experience, and contribute to the educational environment. For information about UW System general admission requirements and selection criteria used by all UW System institutions, see the UW System Freshman Admission policy at <https://www.wisconsin.edu/regents/policies/university-of-wisconsin-system-freshman-admissions-policy/>. For more information about admission expectations and guidelines at specific UW institutions, visit the appropriate UW campus website (see page 8) or UW HELP at uwhelp.wisconsin.edu.

General Information and Instructions

Use the electronic application or this form to apply for undergraduate admission to any UW System institution. Detach the application form and submit the completed application to the admissions office at the institution to which you are applying. (See page 8 for addresses.)

Submit a separate application to each campus you are interested in attending.

Information on application fees can be found on page 1.

Detailed instructions for completing this application are found inside. For additional assistance, contact:

- Your high school counselor.
- The Admissions Office at the institution to which you are applying.
- The UW System HELP Office at 1-800-442-6459, 711 for Wisconsin Relay, or on the Web at: uwhelp.wisconsin.edu.
- The Veterans Services Office at the institution to which you are applying, for assistance for veterans.

To apply online, use our electronic application at: apply.wisconsin.edu

APPLICATION DEADLINES

UW System institutions begin accepting applications on September 1 for the following fall semester. Most have application priority dates or deadlines after which applications may no longer be considered, so it is generally to your advantage to apply as early as possible.

Consult *Introduction to the University of Wisconsin System*, your high school counselor or the individual institution(s) for information about priority dates and deadlines.

COMPLETING THIS APPLICATION

You must complete Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8 & 9. If you are currently attending high school, you must also complete Section 5. If you are currently attending any postsecondary institution, you must complete Section 6.

If you wish to apply for admission to more than one UW System institution, submit a separate application form to each. Duplicated copies may be used as long as they are legible and the proper institution is designated on each copy. Each copy must bear an original signature. Detach the application form and submit the completed application to the institution to which you are applying.

If you are still attending high school, submit each application along with the application fee to the campus to which you are applying. An official high school transcript is also required.

If you are no longer attending high school, submit the application fee (if required), and request all required transcripts be sent directly to the admissions office of the appropriate UW System institution.

NEW FRESHMAN APPLICANTS

Application Fee: New freshmen applying for admission must pay a nonrefundable application fee with each application submitted. The fee is good for one year (two semesters and a summer session). A separate check or money order, payable to the University of Wisconsin, must accompany each application. **Do not send cash.**

Transcripts: An official transcript of your complete high school record (beginning with grade 9) is required. If you are still enrolled in high school, submit your completed application form(s) and official high school transcript(s) to the UW System institution(s) to which you are applying. If you have already graduated, contact your high school to have an official transcript sent to each UW System institution to which you are applying. If you have a GED/HSED, you will need to have an official score report sent in addition to an official high school transcript.

Test Scores: New freshmen are required to submit the results of the ACT or SAT to each campus to which they are applying. Nontraditional students may not be required to submit the results of the ACT or SAT. Consult the institution(s) to which you are applying to obtain information about standardized test requirements. If you have not taken the ACT or SAT, contact your high school counselor or the UW System HELP office to obtain information about how and when to take a test.

Courses in Progress: If you are still attending high school, be sure to complete Section 5 of this form. If you are taking college courses while in high school, list them in Section 6. AP, IB, PLTW, and CLEP courses do not count as attending an institution of higher education.

TRANSFER APPLICANTS

Application Fee: If you are applying as a degree-seeking student to this institution, a nonrefundable application fee is required. This fee is not required if your last institution attended was a UW Colleges freshman/sophomore campus (UW-Baraboo/Sauk County, UW-Barron County, UW Colleges Online, UW-Fond du Lac, UW-Fox Valley, UW-Manitowoc, UW-Marathon County, UW-Marinette, UW-Marshfield/Wood County, UW-Richland, UW-Rock County, UW-Sheboygan, UW-Washington County, UW-Waukesha). The application fee is not required if you previously attended, as a degree-seeking student, the campus to which you are again applying, but is required if you previously attended only as a special (non-degree seeking) student. The fee is required if you are transferring between four year campuses. The fee is good for one year (two semesters and a summer session). A separate check or money order, payable to the University of Wisconsin, must accompany each application. Do not send cash.

Transcripts: An official transcript of your complete high school record (beginning with grade 9) and transcripts from all postsecondary institutions you have attended are required. Contact your high school and each previously attended institution to request that official transcripts be sent to the UW System institution(s) to which you are applying. If you have a GED/HSED, you will also need to have an official score report sent.

Test Scores: Neither the ACT nor the SAT is generally required of transfer students. You will be notified if any standardized test scores are required in order to complete your application.

Courses in Progress: If you are currently enrolled at a college or university, be sure to complete Section 6.

REENTRY APPLICANTS

Application Fee: The application fee is not required if you are applying to a UW System institution you have previously attended as a degree-seeking student.

Transcripts: You need not resubmit your high school transcripts. However, if you have attended any college or university since you last attended the institution you now wish to reenter, you must request official transcripts from these institutions.

Test Scores: Not required.

High School Information: You need not complete Questions 34, 35, 48 and Section 5.

Courses in Progress: If you are currently enrolled at a college or university, be sure to complete Section 6 of this application.

INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS

International applicants are required to provide a non-U.S. permanent home address when applying for admission.

Most UW campuses do not use this application form for international student admission. You are encouraged to obtain application information from each institution to which you are applying to. The institution(s) to which you are applying will provide detailed instructions for completing the application process. In addition to an application fee and official transcripts, you will be required to provide other documents to complete your application. Use the information found on page 8 of this application to communicate with the UW System institution(s) of interest.

SPECIAL/NONDEGREE APPLICANTS

Each UW System institution has separate procedures for the admission of students who are interested in enrolling in undergraduate level courses without formally entering a degree program. Some institutions use a different application form for students in this category. Consult the appropriate UW System institution for specific information about admission, deadlines and the correct form to use.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

(Refer to specific item number in brackets.)

Previous Name(s) (2): Be sure to provide all previous names under which any high school or postsecondary educational records may exist for you.

Social Security or Other Taxpayer Identification Number: Federal law allows the UW System to request and use your Social Security or other Taxpayer Identification Number (SSN or TIN). While you are not legally required to provide your SSN or TIN on this form, you are strongly encouraged to do so. You will be required to provide your SSN or TIN when you apply for financial aid or educational tax benefits. If you are a U.S. citizen or a resident alien for U.S. tax purposes, the IRS may require you to pay a \$50 penalty for failing to provide a UW institution your SSN or TIN after enrolling. If you provide your SSN or TIN, it will be used and disclosed only as described in "Use and Disclosure of Social Security or Other Taxpayer Identification Number" found on page seven of this form.

Gender: For part a., the U.S. Department of Education (ED) requires all higher education institutions to report the number of students in each gender category of male or female. For part b., please indicate the identity you use to describe yourself. The identity you provide will not be used in a discriminatory manner. This information will be used to help inform support services, resources, and activities – each UW System campus may use this information differently. Gender identity will be treated as confidential and will not appear on academic records, grade reports, class lists or transcripts. Individual student gender information will not be supplied to persons outside the UW System unless the student gives prior written consent. Within the UW System, individual gender information (part a.) will be released only by approval of the Chancellor or a designee of the Chancellor.

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SECTION 1 PERSONAL INFORMATION

1 Name: Last (Family) _____ First (Legal) _____ Middle _____		2 Previous Name(s) as used on high school/college records: _____	
3 Social Security Number: <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> (SSN: xxx-xx-xxxx) Taxpayer Identification Number: <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> (TIN: 9xx-xx-xxxx)		4 Gender For state and federal reporting, please provide: <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male Gender Identity: <input type="checkbox"/> Woman <input type="checkbox"/> Man <input type="checkbox"/> Trans or Transgender <input type="checkbox"/> A gender identity not listed here <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to answer	
6 Place of Birth: City: _____ State: _____ Country: _____		5 Date of Birth: (mo/day/yr) ____ / ____ / ____	
7 Racial/Ethnic Heritage: You are not required to disclose your racial/ethnic heritage. However, you are strongly encouraged to do so. Your response to this question will help the UW System meet federal reporting requirements. Your response may also assist in identifying opportunities and awarding scholarships and financial aid. a. Ethnicity: Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (If yes, choose one or more from the following list.) <input type="checkbox"/> Cuban <input type="checkbox"/> Puerto Rican <input type="checkbox"/> Mexican, Mexican American, or Chicano <input type="checkbox"/> Other Hispanic or Latino b. Race: Choose one or more from the list below. <input type="checkbox"/> African American or Black <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Laotian <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native (specify tribal affiliation) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Cambodian <input type="checkbox"/> Vietnamese <input type="checkbox"/> Hmong <input type="checkbox"/> White		8 Are you a U.S. citizen? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If no, identify country of citizenship: _____	
		9 If not a U.S. citizen, check one: <input type="checkbox"/> Refugee/Granted Political Asylum. <i>Attach a copy of I-94.</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent Resident: Give Permanent Resident Registration Number: _____ <i>Attach a copy of both sides of Permanent Resident Card.</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Visa Holder: Give Visa Type (e.g., H4): _____ <input type="checkbox"/> I intend to request a Student Visa: <input type="checkbox"/> F1 <input type="checkbox"/> J1 <input type="checkbox"/> None of the above	
		10 Have you and/or a parent or spouse served in the U.S. Military? (Check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> Self <input type="checkbox"/> Parent/Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Neither	
		11 Has either of your parents earned a four-year college/university degree? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
		12 Did your parent(s), grandparent(s) or legal guardian(s) earn a degree from the campus to which you are applying? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

SECTION 2 ADDRESS INFORMATION

13 Permanent Home Address: (International students must provide a non-U.S. address.) Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> County (if Wisconsin): _____ Country (if not U.S.): _____ Since (mo/yr): ____/____ Area Code and Phone Number: () _____	14 Mailing Address: (if different) Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> Country (if not U.S.): _____ Effective Dates (mo/day/yr): From: ____/____/____ To: ____/____/____ Area Code and Phone Number: () _____
15 Cell Phone Number: () _____ I allow text message communication from the university. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	16 E-mail Address: _____

SECTION 3 CAMPUS INFORMATION

17 Name of campus you wish to enter: UW- _____	18 Are you currently at, or have you previously attended, the institution to which you are sending this application? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, as: <input type="checkbox"/> Undergraduate <input type="checkbox"/> Graduate <input type="checkbox"/> Nondegree/Special If yes, attendance dates: (mo/yr) From: ____/____ To: ____/____	19 Applying as: <input type="checkbox"/> New Freshman <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer <input type="checkbox"/> Reentry <input type="checkbox"/> Nondegree/Special <input type="checkbox"/> Summer Only <input type="checkbox"/> Second Undergraduate Degree <input type="checkbox"/> Additional Major/Minor/Certification
20 Semester/Term you plan to enter: (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Fall (September–December) /Year ____ <input type="checkbox"/> Spring (January–May) /Year ____ <input type="checkbox"/> Summer (May–August) /Year ____ <input type="checkbox"/> Other/Year ____	21 I plan to attend the University: <input type="checkbox"/> Full-time <input type="checkbox"/> Part-time	22 Intended Major or Field of Study: 23 Academic School/College you wish to enter at the University (e.g., College of Letters & Science, Business, etc.): _____
24 If you plan to teach, please check one: <input type="checkbox"/> Early Childhood <input type="checkbox"/> Elementary Education <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary Education	25 Undergraduate Degree Sought: <input type="checkbox"/> B.A. <input type="checkbox"/> B.S. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> None	26 University from which you expect to graduate: 27 Do you plan to apply for financial aid (loans, grants, work study)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No 28 Do you want to live on campus? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

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SECTION 4 EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

<p>29 High School or Home School of Graduation: School _____ City _____ State _____</p>	<p>30 Date of High School or Home School Graduation: (mo/yr) ____ / ____</p>	<p>31 ACT/ETS High School Code: (Obtain from H.S.) <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/></p>
<p>32 Were you homeschooled at any point during grades 9-12? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, which grades? _____</p>	<p>33 Instead of a high school diploma, have you completed one of the following? <input type="checkbox"/> GED <input type="checkbox"/> H.S. Equivalency Diploma Issued by State of: _____ Test date: (mo/yr) ____ / ____</p>	<p>34 Have you taken the ACT/SAT? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, dates: (mo/yr) <input type="checkbox"/> ACT ____ / ____ <input type="checkbox"/> ACT ____ / ____ <input type="checkbox"/> SAT ____ / ____ <input type="checkbox"/> SAT ____ / ____</p>

36 List all institutions of higher education attended, both U.S. and foreign (even if you withdrew). Include name of college for courses taken in high school, colleges, universities, technical colleges, the institution you are currently attending, extension programs, etc., and any degree(s) earned. Attach an additional page if needed. **Failure to list all institutions may result in disciplinary action, rescission of admission, and/or invalidation of credits or degrees earned.**

Name of School/College/University	City/State	From: (mo/yr)	To: (mo/yr)	Degree Earned/Year

SECTION 5 (a) HIGH SCHOOL COURSES IN PROGRESS (If Applicable)

If you are currently attending high school, list ALL your senior year courses. Include and identify any Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate (IB), and/or Project Lead The Way (PLTW) courses in this section. Admission decisions are made with the expectation that all courses listed below will be successfully completed. Failure to complete all courses listed may result in rescission of admission. **Notify the admissions office of any enrollment changes in the courses listed below.** Students who are enrolled, or plan to enroll, in college courses while still in high school should complete both this section and Section 6a (College Courses in Progress). Dual credit courses are those in which the student is receiving both high school and college credit.

Semester/Term	Subject/Title	Number of Credits	Dual Credit
<i>Example: Fall Semester</i>	<i>English/English Composition</i>	<i>.5</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Example: Spring Semester</i>	<i>Science/Chemistry</i>	<i>.5</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Example: Academic Year</i>	<i>Mathematics/Pre-Calculus</i>	<i>1</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>
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			<input type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION 5 (b) ADDITIONAL HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION (If Applicable)

If you plan to attend summer school, indicate name of school:

If you have attended any high school(s) other than the school from which you will graduate from, please include the name, city and state of each school and the years you attended each school.

Name of School	City	State	Years of Attendance	Are you enrolled in the Wisconsin Youth Apprenticeship Program? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, identify program name: _____

SECTION 6 (a) COLLEGE COURSES IN PROGRESS (If Applicable)

List below the college courses in which you are currently enrolled. If you are officially registered for a future term(s), also list those courses. **Attach an additional sheet if needed. Request an official transcript to be sent now and at the end of each term.** AP, IB, PLTW, and CLEP courses do not count as attending an institution of higher education.

Name of College or University: _____				
Semester/Term & Year	Dept. Name	Course Title	Number of Credits	
<i>Example: Fall Semester 2014</i>	<i>Psychology</i>	<i>101</i>	<i>Introduction to Psychology</i>	<i>3</i>

Name of College or University: _____				
Semester/Term & Year	Dept. Name	Course Number	Course Title	Number of Credits
<i>Example: Spring Semester 2015</i>	<i>Biology</i>	<i>201</i>	<i>Human Biology</i>	<i>4</i>

SECTION 6 (b) ADDITIONAL COLLEGE INFORMATION

If you plan to attend summer school, indicate name of college/university: _____	If you are attending a UW Colleges campus, Wisconsin Technical College, or other two-year/community college, will you have earned an associate degree prior to enrolling at the campus for which you are completing this application? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, date expected (mo/yr): ____/____
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SECTION 7 RESIDENCY AND PARENTAL INFORMATION FOR TUITION DETERMINATION (Must be completed by ALL applicants.)

37 Are you a legal Wisconsin resident and/or do you claim legal Wisconsin residence for tuition purposes? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	38 Have you, your spouse or parents recently moved to Wisconsin to begin full-time employment, or do you expect to do so before the beginning of the term for which you are applying? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No																														
39 I have lived continuously and only in Wisconsin since (mo/yr): ____/____	40 Do you hold a valid Wisconsin driver's license? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Since (mo/yr): ____/____ <input type="checkbox"/> No																														
41 Have you registered a motor vehicle(s) only in Wisconsin? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Since (mo/yr): ____/____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	42 Have you filed a Wisconsin state income (not property) tax return as a resident for the past two years? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes What years: ____/____ <input type="checkbox"/> No																														
43 I am listed as a dependent on income tax forms of: <input type="checkbox"/> Father <input type="checkbox"/> Mother <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Stepparent <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Guardian <input type="checkbox"/> Claim my own exemption since (yr): ____ <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____	44 Have you voted or registered to vote in Wisconsin? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes When? (mo/yr) ____/____ <input type="checkbox"/> No																														
45 List all former addresses during the last two years. Attach an additional sheet if needed. <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 30%;">Street</th> <th style="width: 20%;">City</th> <th style="width: 20%;">State</th> <th style="width: 15%;">From: (mo/yr)</th> <th style="width: 15%;">To: (mo/yr)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td></tr> <tr><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td></tr> <tr><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td></tr> <tr><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td></tr> <tr><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td><td> </td></tr> </tbody> </table>		Street	City	State	From: (mo/yr)	To: (mo/yr)																									
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SECTION 7 RESIDENCY AND PARENTAL INFORMATION FOR TUITION DETERMINATION continued (Must be completed by ALL applicants.)

46 Check the appropriate box to indicate the relationship of the individuals described below and provide the required information. **This section must be completed by ALL applicants (including dates).**

Parent/Guardian 1: <input type="checkbox"/> Father <input type="checkbox"/> Mother <input type="checkbox"/> Stepparent <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Guardian Living? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Parent/Guardian 2: <input type="checkbox"/> Father <input type="checkbox"/> Mother <input type="checkbox"/> Stepparent <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Guardian Living? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Name:		Name:	
Since (mo/yr): ____/____	Present Address: <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Since (mo/yr): ____/____	Present Address: <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
	City/State/Zip		City/State/Zip
	Area Code and Phone Number: ()		Area Code and Phone Number: ()
	Email address:		Email address:
From (mo/yr): ____/____	Previous Home Address: <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	From (mo/yr): ____/____	Previous Home Address: <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
	To (mo/yr): ____/____		To (mo/yr): ____/____
City/State/Zip		City/State/Zip	
Has he/she filed a Wisconsin state income (not property) tax return as a resident within the past two years? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, what tax year/s? ____/____		Occupation:	
Has he/she filed a Wisconsin state income (not property) tax return as a resident within the past two years? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, what tax year/s? ____/____		Occupation:	
Is he/she a U.S. citizen? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If Permanent Resident, attach a copy of Permanent Resident Card (both sides).		Is he/she a U.S. citizen? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If Permanent Resident, attach a copy of Permanent Resident Card (both sides).	
Where and when did he/she last vote or register to vote? (state) ____ (mo/yr) ____/____		Where and when did he/she last vote or register to vote? (state) ____ (mo/yr) ____/____	

SECTION 8 EMPLOYMENT AND ACTIVITIES

47 List your employment history for the last two years. Attach an additional sheet if needed.

Employer	Occupation/Job Title	City/State	From (mo/yr):	To (mo/yr):	Hours per Week

48 Please list below, **in order of importance to you**, your principal extracurricular, community and/or volunteer activities, as well as honors/awards earned. You may include involvement with school organizations, religious and service organizations, family obligations, employment, and/or participation in the arts, athletics, publications, etc.

Activity	Leadership Position, Honors and/or Awards	Period of Involvement example: Grade 9, 10, 11, 12 or Post-High School	Level of Involvement example: Low - 2 hrs./wk. Medium - 3-4 hrs./wk. High - 5 or more hrs./wk.

49 Briefly explain (in 50-100 words) how you decided which activity in Item #48 was the most important to you.

SECTION 8 (cont.)

Educational Preparation Programs

Identify any educational preparation programs that have enriched your academic experience or helped you to prepare for college.

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|---------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> AVID | <input type="checkbox"/> Educational Talent Search | <input type="checkbox"/> Future Phoenix |
| <input type="checkbox"/> College Possible) | <input type="checkbox"/> GEAR UP | <input type="checkbox"/> Blugold Beginnings |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Educational Opportunity Center | <input type="checkbox"/> Upward Bound | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

SECTION 9 STATEMENT(S)

Submit your response to question 50 on a separate sheet of paper. Include your full name and date of birth on each sheet and attach it to your application.

50. Please tell us about the particular life experiences, talents, commitments and/or interests you will bring to our specific campus that will enrich our community.

SECTION 10 APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE (To be valid, application must be signed and dated.)

I certify that the information in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and I understand that inaccurate information may affect my enrollment, tuition or financial aid status. I agree to notify the admissions office, in writing, if there is a change to any of this information, including permanent home address. I also understand that if I have applied for financial assistance, information concerning the amount of financial aid I may be offered may be released to other agencies that may also be considering me for assistance. By filing this application, I authorize my high school to release a transcript of my high school record and any other pertinent information to the University of Wisconsin System. I further authorize the University of Wisconsin System to release my Social Security Number (SSN) or other Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN) and date of birth to any UW Institution. If I enroll at this University, I will abide by its rules and regulations. This application and supporting documents become the property of the University of Wisconsin System.

Applicant's Signature _____ **Date** _____

For reentering students only: I hereby declare that my name has changed as shown in Item 2 (Section 1). By means of the above signature, I hereby authorize the University to change my records accordingly.

Racial/Ethnic Heritage (7): You are not required to disclose your racial/ethnic heritage. However, you are strongly encouraged to do so. Your response to this question will help the UW System meet federal reporting requirements. Your response may also assist in identifying opportunities and awarding scholarships and financial aid.

American Indian or Alaska Natives are encouraged to enter tribal affiliation in addition to checking the appropriate category. The category Other Asian includes people with origins in the Far East, Southeast Asia and the Indian subcontinent. The racial/ethnic information you provide will be treated as confidential and will be used and disclosed only as described on page 7 of this form.

Return to Wisconsin (12): If you are not a Wisconsin or Minnesota resident and you are admitted to a campus that your parent(s), grandparent(s) or legal guardian(s) graduated from, you may qualify for a nonresident tuition discount. Campuses participating in the Return to Wisconsin tuition discount program are UW-Eau Claire, UW-Green Bay, UW-La Crosse, UW-Oshkosh, UW-Parkside, UW-River Falls, UW-Stevens Point, UW-Stout and UW-Whitewater. If the campus to which you are applying participates in this program and you are admitted, you will be sent information requiring documentation to qualify for the non-resident tuition discount.

Semester/Term You Plan to Enter (20): If you plan to enter a UW System institution during an interim term, check other and indicate year. Contact the campus you plan to enter for specific information regarding availability, dates and admission process.

RESIDENCY INSTRUCTIONS

Wisconsin Statutes, Section 36.27(2), govern resident status for tuition purposes. If you do not qualify as a Wisconsin resident, in most cases your tuition will be assessed at the significantly higher out-of-state rate. In determining resident status for tuition purposes, different standards are used than those which may be used for voting, paying taxes, etc. Individuals who come to Wisconsin primarily for educational purposes do not automatically qualify as Wisconsin residents for tuition purposes even after living in Wisconsin a year or more. You may be asked to provide further information related to a determination of resident status for tuition purposes.

In general, you must be a bona fide resident of Wisconsin for at least 12 months prior to enrollment to be eligible for in-state tuition, but there are some exceptions:

1. If you graduated from a Wisconsin high school and your parent(s) lived continuously and only in Wisconsin for the 12 months prior to enrollment, you may qualify as a Wisconsin resident. Complete all parts of Section 7 of the application form and your status will be determined.

2. If one of your parents lives in Wisconsin and you are a tax dependent of your parents, or if you are a refugee who came to Wisconsin immediately upon entering the United States, you may be able to pay fees and tuition at the resident rate. You may also qualify for the resident rate if you are a member of the Armed Forces stationed in Wisconsin, a migrant worker who has worked in Wisconsin annually, or the spouse or child of a person in one of these categories. If you believe you qualify under one of these categories, contact the campus to which you are applying for information about Wisconsin Statutes 36.27(2).

3. If you, your spouse, or someone who claims you as a tax dependent has relocated to Wisconsin for full-time continuous employment with a current employer, or has accepted new full-time employment with current employer before moving to Wisconsin and before applying for admission to a UW System institution, if that employment has begun before your term of enrollment and continues full-time with the same employer, you may qualify as a resident for tuition purposes if you intend to establish and maintain a permanent home in Wisconsin. You will be contacted for additional information.

4. If you are unsure whether you qualify for resident tuition under any of these provisions, contact the institution to which you are applying for more information.

Minnesota Residents: You may be eligible to participate in the Wisconsin/Minnesota tuition reciprocity program. Contact the Office of Higher Education, 1450 Energy Park Drive, Suite 350, St. Paul, MN 55108-5227 (651-642-0567 or 1-800-657-3866); or visit their website at www.getreadyforcollege.org for more information. On this application, you should not claim legal Wisconsin residence. You will be classified as a nonresident at the institution where you enroll. To expedite verification please provide your Social Security Number or Tax Payer Identification Number.

ADDITIONAL UW SYSTEM INFORMATION

Financial Aid: You may submit an application for financial aid after October 1 of the year prior to the one in which you wish to enroll (for fall semester applicants). Most institutions have financial aid priority dates or deadlines, so it is generally to your advantage to apply as soon as possible after October 1. A financial aid application form and information concerning the application process may be obtained from your high school counselor or from the financial aid office of the institution(s) to which you are applying. To access the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), visit www.fafsa.gov. If applying for spring or summer semester enrollment, consult the individual institution for information about appropriate deadlines. Note that you must provide your Social Security Number or Tax Payer Identification Number on your application if you intend to apply for financial aid. Applying for financial aid will have no bearing on an admission decision.

On-Campus Housing: Since demand for student housing exceeds availability at many institutions, it is important to apply for housing as early as possible. Most UW System institutions automatically furnish housing information and materials to each applicant admitted. UW-Madison sends a housing contract to admitted students for the fall semester as long as space remains available; however, students interested in living on campus beginning in the spring semester must submit a separate housing application available by writing or calling the University Housing Office. Students wishing to live on campus at UW-Barron, UW-Fox Valley, UW-Marathon, UW-Marinette, or UW-Richland should request an application from the Student Services Office.

Equal Opportunity: The UW System is committed to equal opportunity for all. No student may be denied admission to, participation in or the benefits of, or be discriminated against in any service, program, course or facility of the system or its institutions because of the student's race, color, creed, religion, sex, national origin, disability, ancestry, age,

sexual orientation, pregnancy, marital status or parental status.

Inquiries concerning compliance with the requirements of Title IX, referring to equal opportunity regardless of sex may be directed to the UW System Office of Human Resources and Workforce Diversity, 1570 Van Hise Hall, 1220 Linden Dr., Madison, WI 53706 (608-262-5504). Inquiries pertaining to nondiscrimination on the basis of disability may be addressed to the Office of the Chancellor of any UW System institution.

Use and Disclosure of Racial/Ethnic Information: The U.S. Department of Education requires the University to report the number of students in various racial/ethnic categories. Your cooperation in furnishing accurate information will be appreciated.

Racial/ethnic heritage information will be treated as confidential and will not appear on academic records, grade reports, class lists or transcripts. Individual student racial/ethnic information will be released only with the student's consent or as otherwise required or permitted by law.

Use and Disclosure of Social Security or Other Taxpayer Identification Number: Federal law allows the University to request and use your Social Security or other Taxpayer Identification Number (SSN or TIN) for routine record keeping, institutional statistics and research, and compliance with Federal and State reporting requirements. Although providing the SSN or TIN is not required for admission to the University, it is required for financial aid and ensures that you will be able to claim the new educational tax benefits, if eligible, on your federal tax return. The University may use the SSN or TIN for billing and collection efforts, financial aid, internal verification and administrative purposes.

The SSN or TIN is protected under the Federal Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a) and the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) (20 U.S.C. 1232g) and will only be disclosed as provided above or with the student's consent or as otherwise required or permitted by law.

Requesting Disability-Related Accommodations and Services: To receive information about disability-related services, including accommodations and academic adjustments, contact the Office of Services for Students with Disabilities at the institution to which you are applying. It is recommended that requests for disability-related services be made as soon as possible.

Services for Veterans: For the purpose of this application only, a veteran is a former or current member of the United States Military. Veterans no longer serving need to have been discharged in good standing. Eligibility for benefits or services will vary based upon the individual's specific level of service. Please note that other agencies or applications may use a different definition to establish veteran status.

UW System institutions are approved to offer veterans' educational benefits under programs provided by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs and the Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs. There are also programs and benefits that provide services to spouses and children of those who have or are currently serving in the U.S. Military.

For information on veterans' educational benefits, contact the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs Education Service at 800-827-1000 or visit their website at www.gibill.va.gov. Information on Wisconsin state benefits is available from the Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs: call 800-947-8387 or visit their website at dva.state.wi.us/Ben-education.asp. The names and phone numbers of veterans affairs coordinators for each UW System institution can be found in the UW HELP website at uwhelp.wisconsin.edu/paying/veterans.aspx.

ADMISSIONS OFFICES — CONTACT INFORMATION

Send your completed application addressed to the ADMISSIONS OFFICE of the institution to which you are applying.

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UW-Green Bay (920) 465-2111 uwgb@uwgb.edu www.uwgb.edu	2420 Nicolet Drive Green Bay, WI 54311-7001	UW-Parkside (262) 595-2355 admissions@uwp.edu www.uwp.edu	P.O. Box 2000 Kenosha, WI 53141-2000	UW-Stout (715) 232-1232 admissions@uwstout.edu www.uwstout.edu	212 Millenium Hall Menomonie, WI 54751-0790
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